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Matt Gourley
Mayor

The Honorable Terrance R. Duncan
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
Monterey County
P.O. Box 1819
Salinas, CA 93902

Maria Orozco
Mayor Pro Tem

Lou Garcia
Councilmember

RE: Fluoridation, Grand Jury Report 2002

Dear Judge Duncan:

George A. Worley
Councilmember

Enclosed please find the response from the City of Gonzales on the Findings and Recommendations in the 2002 Monterey County Grand Jury Final Report dated December 31, 2002 regarding fluoridating the City's drinking water.

Joe L. Gunkle
Councilmember

The City of Gonzales has determined that it does not possess the funding or personnel to implement fluoridating the City's drinking water system at this time; therefore, the City will not be fluoridating its drinking water.

Henry G. Hesling Sr.
City Manager

Thank you for the opportunity to respond.

Sincerely,

Henry G. Hesling Sr.
City Manager

Grand Jury Final Report
"Monterey County 2002 Grand Jury Final Report"

RESPONSE TO FINDINGS:

Finding #	Check One		Specify the portion of the Finding that is disputed and include an explanation of the reasons therefore
	(1)	(2)	
From Grand Jury Final Report	Respondent agrees with the Findings	Respondent disagrees wholly or partially with Finding: see next column	CONTINUE ON ATTACHED SHEETS AS NECESSARY
1, 2 & 3		X	The City of Gonzales does not have the necessary funding or personnel to implement fluoridating the City's water system

RESPONSE TO RECOMMENDATIONS:

The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable for the following reason:

The City of Gonzales does not have the necessary funding or personnel to implement fluoridating the City's water system.